

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Acting Chairman;
Tony Hammond, Vice Chairman;
Mark Acton;
Ruth Y. Goldway; and
Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices
Priority Mail Contract 80 (MC2014-23)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2014-38

NOTICE AND ORDER CONCERNING AMENDMENT TO A PRIORITY MAIL
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

(Issued May 22, 2015)

I. INTRODUCTION

On May 21, 2015, the Postal Service filed notice that it has agreed to an Amendment to the existing Priority Mail Contract 80 negotiated service agreement (Existing Agreement) approved in this docket.¹ In support of its Notice, the Postal Service includes a redacted copy of the Amendment. *Id.* Attachment A.

The Postal Service also filed the unredacted Amendment under seal. The Postal Service seeks to incorporate by reference the Application for Non-Public Treatment

¹ Notice of United States Postal Service of Amendment to Priority Mail Contract 80, with Portions Filed Under Seal, May 21, 2015 (Notice).

originally filed in this docket for the protection of information that it has filed under seal. Notice at 1. The Postal Service states that the Amendment does not materially affect cost coverage; therefore, the supporting financial documentation and certification originally filed in this docket remain applicable. *Id.*

The Amendment revises section I.C. of the Existing Agreement and requires the customer to submit a written list of permit numbers used for shipment of packages and only reported permit numbers will count toward the volume commitment. *Id.* Attachment A at 1. In addition, section I.E. revises the total volume commitment for the customer during the remaining years of the Existing Agreement. *Id.*

The Postal Service intends for the Amendment to become effective one business day after the date that the Commission completes its review of the Notice. *Id.* Notice at 1.

II. NOTICE OF FILINGS

The Commission invites comments on whether the changes presented in the Postal Service's Notice are consistent with the policies of 39 U.S.C. 3632, 3633, or 3642, 39 CFR 3015.5, and 39 CFR part 3020, subpart B. Comments are due no later than May 29, 2015. The public portions of these filings can be accessed via the Commission's website (<http://www.prc.gov>).

The Commission appoints Cassie D'Souza to represent the interests of the general public (Public Representative) in this docket.

III. ORDERING PARAGRAPHS

It is ordered:

1. The Commission reopens Docket No. CP2014-38 for consideration of matters raised by the Postal Service's Notice.

2. Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505, the Commission appoints Cassie D'Souza to serve as an officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interests of the general public in this proceeding.
3. Comments are due no later than May 29, 2015.
4. The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this Order in the *Federal Register*.

By the Commission.

Ruth Ann Abrams
Acting Secretary